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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Y. Tom TANG *et al.*

Title: G-PROTEIN COUPLED  
RECEPTOR PROTEINS

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action dated May 3, 2004, Applicants hereby provisionally elect Group I (claims 1-6, 9-15, and 19) for examination with traverse. Applicants submit with this paper a Petition for a one-month extension of time and appropriate fee. Applicants note that the due date of July 3, 2004, falls on Saturday. Furthermore, Monday, July 5<sup>th</sup> is a federal holiday. Accordingly, the next business day on which Applicants can timely file this response is Tuesday, July 6, 2004. Nonetheless, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.